



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPT. OF EMERGENCY SERVICES & PUBLIC PROTECTION
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT & HOMELAND SECURITY



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EPPI 2014: Information package #4,

Dear participant,

This is the fourth exercise notification in a series of pre-exercise notifications. Each notification will have an attachment giving weather reports of the coming storm along with pertinent exercise information. These messages are part of our communications testing efforts so you should expect to receive messages through the Everbridge system, Listsrv and email systems concerning this year's exercise. You may also go to our website at <http://www.ct.gov/demhs/cwp/view.asp?a=4236&Q=542344&PM=1> and see these and past documents issued in support of the exercise.

We are now at four days out from storm landfall and with the increasing threat of the Hurricane making land fall in New England. Governor Malloy declares a State of Emergency and considers requesting a presidential pre-landfall declaration. The Following actions need to occur along with your own preparedness planning and preparations:

- Municipalities in slosh areas should be reviewing plans associated with a category 1 Hurricane, maps and evacuation plans for low lying areas relative to the path of the storm.
- All Department of Corrections (DOC) facilities are to inspect and ensure that all generators, vehicles, equipment is fueled up, all gas tanks topped off. Ensure that equipment is operational to include generators. Get a list of all level two inmates who could be available to assist on the outside to include DOT for clearing and making sandbags.
- Regional Coordinators should remind local governments that they are responsible for providing situation reports to the Regional Coordinators.
- Municipalities should check emergency power sources at telecommunications sites for functionality.
- Due to the time of year being prime vacation season there may be a shortage of employees that normally staff your shelter(s). Conduct appropriate planning to ensure sufficient staffing?

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- Identify and arrange for local "Cooling" , shower and re-charging stations in your locality. Determine and identify Point of Distribution (POD) locations for commodity deliveries.

Please see attached weather information where advisory #27 gives you information four days out from storm landfall.

Yesterday's information included weather information for four days out from landfall, if you would like to review the six day weather information you can do so by going to our website at the address listed above

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